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DIXON, ILLINOIS, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1893.

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CITY COUNCIL.

The City Council met in special session last evening at the council rooms, and was called to order by Mayor George Steel. All the aldermen were present except Alderman Rosbrook.

Bills introduced for the annual election, etc., amounting to about \$150.00, were passed on and orders drawn on the treasurer for the several amounts.

The council then proceeded to canvass the vote of the city for mayor and aldermen with the result substantially as given in THE TELEGRAPH last night. Joseph F. Palmer was declared elected mayor; C. H. Keyes elected alderman of the First Ward to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Alderman Palmer; and the following re-elected from their several wards: C. J. Rosbrook from the First, C. Gonnerman from the Second, N. Plein from the Third and E. C. Parsons from the Fourth. This rounded up the business of the retiring council, which was addressed in a few appropriate remarks by the retiring mayor and adjourned sine die.

The oath of office was then administered by E. W. Smith to the newly elected mayor and the board of aldermen. Mayor Palmer was then formally introduced to the council by ex-Mayor Steel, and by him escorted to his seat. Upon taking the chair, Mayor Palmer addressed the board as follows:

Gentlemen of the Council.—You have arrived at a point in the business of this evening when you have a right to expect something from me. The law of this state provides that the mayor of a city shall annually and from time to time, give the council information relative to the affairs of the city and shall recommend for their consideration such measures as he may deem expedient. It is not left to him to do as he pleases about it, but the law says he shall. But there are some items of information that I wish to give, and some suggestions for your consideration that I shall make, that I prefer to defer to a subsequent meeting because I have not had the time yet to give them the attention and thought needed. It has been the custom in the past for the mayor of Dixon to enter the duties of his office, to deliver an essay before the council, called a message. Some of these essays have been remarkable for learning and rhetoric, reflecting much credit on the writer and doing much to establish him in the confidence of the public; but I have not the educational attainments necessary to produce such a document, and if I had I am not certain that I would attempt it. Hence I shall confine what I have to say to a few commonplace remarks and suggestions. We have arrived at a period in the history of Dixon when we have ceased to be a dry old county-seat town, and have become a lively and prosperous manufacturing city. Our educational advantages are equal to any in the west and people are constantly coming here to educate their children, and make Dixon their future home. People are coming here from all quarters to get employment or go into business. Travel anywhere in the Northwest and you hear Dixon spoken of as one of the most enterprising towns in Northern Illinois. If we continue this prosperity, very much will depend upon the management of our municipal affairs. The growing condition of our city is attended with an increased demand for water, light and fire protection. Streets and sidewalks must be made and kept in safe condition to escape the liability of the law. Culverts and bridges are constantly getting out of repair and going to decay. To meet all this expense taxes must of necessity be high; but people will not complain if they feel that the money has been judiciously expended. The judicious expenditure of our money should occupy our constant attention. The city should not afford soft and easy places for any man or any set of men. Every man should be required to give a dollar's worth of work or material for every dollar received. Every tax-payer has a right to insist upon this requirement and he will have reason to complain if it is not observed. The work should be commenced early in the year when the days are long and cool and men and teams can do good day's work without injury from heat.

"The law provides that the corporate authorities of cities are hereby vested with power to make local improvements by special assessment, or by special taxation, or both, of contiguous property, or general taxation, or otherwise, as they shall by ordinance prescribe." I think the corporate authorities of this city have never resorted to special assessment of contiguous property to make local improvements. There is, however, a petition before the county court at the present time, for an order to construct a sewer on Main and Peoria streets to the river; the expense of which is to be defrayed partly by special assessment of contiguous property and partly by money raised by general taxation. The money raised to defray the expense of running our city government and for public improvements has hitherto been by general taxation. If we continue the policy of the last council, of macadamizing all the streets leading from the centre of trade into the country, it will take nearly all the money usually raised in that way to make these streets and keep them in repair, leaving very little to keep the dirt streets in repair. Many of these streets, leading from the center to city limits, are as well settled as any of the macadamized streets leading to the country, and have as much valuable property upon them. The people have been promised from year to year for the past twenty years, that their turn would come soon, but their turn has not come, and their streets are hardly in passable condition in the best weather. Now, what can we do for these localities? The people have been taxed all these years to macadamize streets that have the good fortune to be called leading streets, greatly enhancing the value of property along the same, while at the same time their own streets have not received the ordinary attention of a country road. It seems to me that these people have reason to complain, and I hope the case will receive your careful consideration. The people living on West Third street came forward last summer and offered to become responsible for the payment of the sum of \$300 to the city council if they would macadamize

that street, which, you, know, was done. If the people living in the less public localities that I have mentioned would suffer a small special assessment of contiguous property, and you should raise our general tax about six per cent, which would be within the limits prescribed by law, it would do much to relieve this demand. From the treasurer's estimate I learn that seven thousand eight hundred dollars is all we can safely appropriate this year for streets, alleys, bridges, crossings and sidewalks, unless we should use a small balance left over in the treasury from the sale of real estate last year. Divide this sum as you did last year, appropriating one-half to sidewalks, crossings and bridges and you have less than \$4,000, to pay for street work during this fiscal year. This is a very small sum when we consider that \$9,400 was expended last year on our streets and alleys alone. If we do much work this year it is even that we must adopt a system of economy not common in the management of city affairs. Let us see how much work can be done with a little money. The streets that deserve especial attention this year are Fellow street from North Galena to the Assembly Grounds, South Galena street, the road from West Seventh street south to the Northwestern Railroad arch and the Chicago road to city limits. I understand that the township authorities are ready to do their half of the work, from West Seventh Street to the Railroad arch. The stone crusher is standing in the quarry near the Chicago road, and I recommend that this work be done before it is removed to another quarry—thus saving the expense of moving. I also recommend that this work be done by contract to the lowest bidder. The law provides that all contracts for work shall be let to the lowest responsible bidder.

The North Side is asking for more fire protection. The distance is so great from the department building that in many cases fire is likely to do much damage before the department arrives. I would, therefore, recommend that you instruct the fire and water committee to give this matter their immediate attention.

The license question demands at present time, your careful and considerate attention. The citizens of Dixon instruct you by their ballot to license men to sell liquor, but in doing so you are not obliged to grant license to any man that comes along, no matter who he is or what character he sustains. My experience with men has taught me that there is a great difference in men who are willing to keep saloons, and we should be careful to license the better sort—men that you have reason to believe have no disposition to violate the law. We are not suffering for want of saloons in Dixon, and if we should be one or two short no one will complain.

In closing I would call your attention to the sanitary condition of our city during the spring and summer months. The alleys and back-yards of the business portion of our city last summer were enough to breed cholera right here at home without importing it. If cholera should visit our country this year, we shall be fortunate indeed, if we escape it. I would, therefore, suggest that you employ some suitable man, early in the season, whose business it shall be to attend to this matter, and see that every place within the city limits is kept in a clean and wholesome condition.

At the close of the mayor's address, the council took a recess, and adjourned to an adjoining room in secret session. Here they were closeted for an hour and a half, canvassing the claim of the various candidates for appointments, and fixing the terms for liquor licenses, while the mayor was making up his committee. The former list of city officers was re-appointed, with the exception of city attorney which position H. R. Bartlett received in place of E. E. Wingert. The officers therefore for the present year are: Joseph F. Palmer, Mayor; E. W. Smith, City Clerk and Treasurer; H. R. Bartlett, City Attorney; Charles F. Ball, Marshal; John Gaffney, Assistant Marshal; C. W. Latimer, Sexton; Wm. Reilly, Catholic Sexton; A. J. Graff, Fire Marshal.

Aldermen:—C. H. Keyes, C. Godfrey, C. Gonnerman, Second Ward; N. Plein, L. B. Neighbour, Third Ward; E. C. Parsons, Joseph McCleary, Fourth Ward.

Standing Committees:—Printing—McCleary, Parsons, Plein. License—Godfrey, Neighbour, Plein. Finance—Neighbour, McCleary, Godfrey. Streets and Alleys—Gonnerman, Plein, Parsons. Ordinance—Rosbrook, Godfrey, McCleary. Sidewalk—Keyes, McCleary, Plein. Fire and water—Rosbrook, Godfrey, Parsons. Cemetery—Neighbour, Keyes, Plein.

The charge of license for the sale of intoxicants was raised from \$500.00 to \$650.00, payable quarterly in advance, as heretofore.

Petition for the laying of water mains on First and Third streets in West Dixon were referred to the water committee and the council adjourned about midnight.

—Mrs. Caldwell preached an earnest and effective sermon last evening at the Methodist church. The service that followed was full of interest and several new seekers went forward. To night at 7:30 the meeting will open with a "song service."

—The reunion of old and new members of Dixon Lodge of Good Templars at the new hall of the society last night was well attended and thoroughly enjoyed. Something over a hundred were present and the time was pleasantly spent in social intercourse. Various refreshments were served. A short and pleasing program was spread before the friends assembled, consisting of a guitar solo by Miss Webb, a violin solo by Master Valie Hef, a recitation by Miss Clem Walgren, a calisthenic exercise with clubs by Mrs. Heimbach, and a short and interesting talk followed by a song from Rev. H. C. Leland. Every number on the program was well rendered and well received, and many former members of the lodge signified their intention of again placing their names on the roll.

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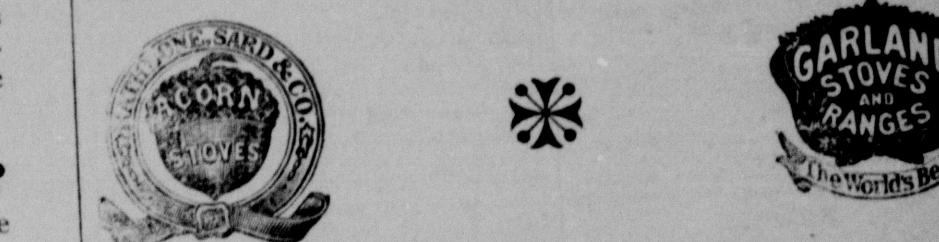
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CONRAD W. KENTNER will be a candidate for election to the office of Township Collector at the coming spring election of officers, and will be thankful for the support of his friends.
M. C. WEYBURN will be a candidate for the office of Highway Commissioner at the approaching April election of officers, for the town of Dixon.
CHARLES D. HANSEY will be a candidate for constable at the coming township election in April, and solicits the support of his friends.
SETH M. THOMAS will be a candidate for Constable at the coming April election, and will be thankful for the support of his friends at the polls.
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Cleveland's New Cabinet Officers on Duty—Incidents of the Change—A Long Wait for Would-Be Officials—Senate Democrats Caucus and Ignore the Populists—First Cabinet Meeting and Subjects Considered—Visitors at the White House—Statement of Bond Purchases—Capital City Notes.
WASHINGTON, March 8.—The induction into office of the members of President Cleveland's cabinet (sworn in Monday) was the event at the state department yesterday morning. For the first time in the history of the government, the head of the departments assembled in the diplomatic hall and together took the oath of office. On the occasion of Cleveland's first inauguration all the cabinet officers assembled at the Arlington hotel and accompanied by Associate Justice Field drove to each executive department in turn, beginning with the state department.
Not According to Precedent.
This was a proceeding out of the usual order that had obtained on the change of previous administrations, and upset the calculations of some of the old clerks and notaries public in the departments who had the honor of swearing in former heads of departments. Especially was this the case with the venerable "Judge" Lawson, of the postoffice department, who had up to that time as the department notary administered the oath of office to every postmaster general for half a century.
Taking the Official Oath.
There was a quite a concourse in the corridors of the state department yesterday to witness the new ceremonies. The several members of the cabinet were on time and at 11:15 o'clock Justice Field came into the room of the secretary of state. The party at once repaired to the diplomatic hall. There were about fifty present outside of the cabinet and other officials to witness the ceremony. The cabinet officials grouped themselves about the table at the east end of the parlor, Justice Field and Secretary Gresham at the head. The venerable jurist then calling the secretary of state to his left hand in turn administered the statutory oath which he read without glasses to Messrs. Carlisle, Lamont, Smith, Herbert, Olney, Bissell and Morton, and each signed. The table used was a new one procured for the occasion.
Installation into Office.
The process of installing each head of department into office was an afternoon's job. Secretary Carlisle, accompanied by his son Logan Carlisle, arrived at the treasury department at 11:45 a. m., and was immediately ushered into the office of the department. Secretary Morton went over to the agricultural department and was heartily greeted by ex-Secretary Rusk, who introduced his assistants and later took him over to the weather bureau. Then Attorney General Olney was formally presented to the supreme court by Miller and Justice Field welcomed the coming and speeded the departing officers with grace and feeling.
Herbert and Hoke Smith.
Secretary Herbert took charge of the naval office, and his predecessor introduced the bureau chiefs. The two "old rags" lay alongside each other and "blowed pipes" with great satisfaction. Then ex-Secretary Tracy weighed anchor and went under way for private life. Hoke Smith, the new interior secretary, had the hardest afternoon's work of any. He shook hands with 2,300 employees of his department and as they bid him welcome they passed on to General Noble and bade him good-bye. The new incumbent had a long conference with Noble regarding the details of the office.
Change in the Postoffice.
At the postoffice department Bissell found Wamamaker, and after a little explanation of the geography and topography of the office proceeded to get acquainted with his subordinates. He made the acquaintance of a whole lot of congressmen and others who will have something to say to him some of these days about postoffices in the rural and other "deserts." This ended the moving in and moving out, and the closing time the new department heads were in office and ready to do business for Uncle Sam.

CAUCUS OF THE DEMOCRATS.
They Invite No Populists to Their Conference—Organization.
WASHINGTON, March 8.—The Democratic caucus which met in the senate chamber at 10 a. m. yesterday was well attended. Just what course the Democrats intended to pursue toward the Populists has been a matter of interesting conjecture since it was known that the Democrats had a clear majority of their own. The action yesterday indicated that they intended to ignore the Populists. The action yesterday indicated that they intended to ignore the Populists. The action yesterday indicated that they intended to ignore the Populists.

Money Saved by Buying Bonds.
WASHINGTON, March 8.—A statement prepared in the division of loans and currency, treasury department, shows that in Cleveland's first administration the department redeemed bonds of the par value of \$38,074,830, for which it paid \$30,120,642.05. If the bonds had run to maturity the holders would have received principal and interest, \$39,067,180.43, making the saving to the government by the purchase \$8,946,538.38. The par value of \$39,067,180.43, March 1, 1889, is \$39,067,180.43. The department paid them \$30,120,642.05. Had they run to maturity they would have cost the government \$39,067,180.43, making the saving in the transaction \$8,946,538.38.

Rosecrans Not Resigning.
WASHINGTON, March 8.—A private letter has been received here from General Rosecrans, register of the treasury, now in California, stating that his health has improved very much of late. General Rosecrans also states that he does not contemplate resigning his position as register of the treasury.
Free Gold Down to \$1,250,000.
WASHINGTON, March 8.—Secretary Carlisle when he assumed charge of the treasury department yesterday had on hand \$1,250,000 in free gold and a net balance of \$2,500,000, of which \$1,250,000 is in national bank deposits and \$1,250,000 in subsidiary coin and \$500,000 in minor coins.
Dempsy Will Still Hold Office.
PITTSBURGH, March 8.—Although Hugh Dempsy, master workman of District Assembly No. 3, Knights of Labor, has been sentenced to seven years to the western penitentiary in connection with the Homestead poisoning cases, the fact of the association has not swayed from him in the least. If all efforts fail, and he is compelled to undergo the sentence of the court, he will still remain master workman of the Knights of Labor for the term which he was elected.
Laugh at a Strike Story.
PITTSBURGH, March 8.—A long story appeared in a morning paper yesterday to the effect that the country is just on the verge of one of the most far-reaching strikes in the history of railroads, growing out of rejected demands of the Chicago switchmen. The story, however, is laughed at by both officials and employees.

FINANCIAL REVIEW
Made From Divergent Political Standpoints.
A DEFICIT OF MILLIONS PREDICTED
By the Democrats on a House Committee, and Disputed by the Republicans—The Treasury Expected To Be About \$40,000,000 Behind June 30, 1894, by One Set of Financials and About Even by the Other—Controversy Over the Sinking Fund—Reports Summarized.
WASHINGTON, March 8.—The majority and minority reports of the committee on ways and means on the investigation into the condition of the treasury made by the committee were completed yesterday and sent to the printer, authority for this having been obtained from the house just before adjournment. The majority report was prepared by Springer, and says, assuming that the statements by Secretary Foster are correct, that on the 30th of June next there will be an estimated cash balance of \$30,000,000 over and above the legal gold reserve. It will appear from an examination of Foster's verbal statement to the committee in explanation of this estimated balance that it is probably too large. The majority is of the opinion that at the close of the present fiscal year there will be an available cash balance in the treasury aside from the gold reserve of not over \$17,000,000.
Outlook for the Year 1894.
As to 1894 Springer says that according to the treasury's statement the secretary estimated an available cash balance of \$17,832,407, not taking the \$100,000,000 gold reserve into consideration, but a note at the bottom of the statement shows that the balance is chargeable with contract liabilities already appropriated for amounting to \$40,000,000. It is possible that all of this amount will not be called for during that fiscal year, but that is the amount estimated by the department and the available cash balance would be reduced to \$17,800,000. It also appears from this statement that of the contract liabilities existing Dec. 31, 1892, the sum of \$16,115,750 will be called for in the year 1894 for rivers and harbors. Of this amount \$14,166,153 has been appropriated for in the sundry civil bill for 1894.
Figures Out \$40,000,000 Deficiency.
The charge upon the treasury for that year must also be augmented by whatever deficiency appropriations may be required, which, including pension deficiencies, have averaged during the past five sessions \$25,000,000 each year. To this deficiency must be added the amount of miscellaneous appropriations, which for five years past have averaged \$7,000,000 each session. From these estimates, however, it is probable there may be some saving on estimated expenditures in the actual appropriations. Under the most careful estimate that can now be made it is apparent, says the report, that at the end of the ensuing fiscal year there will be a deficiency amounting to from \$30,000,000 to \$40,000,000.
Big Claim of the Sinking Fund.
In these calculations no account whatever is taken of the requirements of the sinking fund. The requirements of this fund were not met during the past fiscal year. No effort has been made to meet such requirements during the current fiscal year, and the sinking fund is in arrears. The sinking fund for 1893 was \$11,307,825, the requirements for 1893 are estimated at \$15,000,000, and at the end of the next fiscal year there will be due the fund a little over \$100,000,000.
Cites Foster's Late Opinion.
Besides this the majority report says there is \$16,000,000 which Foster credits to the fund which was paid for redemption of the notes of liquidating national banks. This report does not concede, and says should have been paid out of current receipts. The report concludes that Secretary Foster's opinion that there will be a deficit in 1894, and his desire that the revenue should be increased by \$50,000,000 to meet treasury conditions.

AS VIEWED BY REPUBLICANS.
A General Dissent from the Conclusion of the Majority.
The minority report, which was drafted by Payne of New York, and is signed by all the Republican members of the committee, says the conclusions from the evidence presented with the report seem wholly unwarranted and misleading. "In fact there seems to be an utter lack of evidence to justify any of the criticisms of the majority upon the statement of the secretary which showed a surplus in the treasury on June 30, 1894." The statements of the secretary supplemented by the evidence of the treasury experts are evidently of the most conclusive character. The estimated receipts are placed at a minimum while the estimated expenditures are placed at a maximum.
Insists on a \$21,000,000 Surplus.
The minority thinks that there will be no deductions from the \$31,000,000 which Foster estimated as the surplus for 1893. Springer says that he will be paid this year will not be paid until next. As to 1894, although admitting that the majority is correct in its estimate of contract liabilities to be set against the revenues of 1894, the minority claims that it is evident that the revenue of next year, the secretary evidently not believing that they will all come due in 1894, and holding that there will be considerable reductions in these contract accounts.
Deficiency Averages Not Reliable.
The minority next attacks the mode of averaging deficiencies adopted by the majority as grossly misleading. For the reason that there is such a great variation in the deficiencies which make up a part of this average arise from the change of the law and from the impossibility of estimating the effect of such changes. A more reliable way as to pensions, it says, is to take the statement of the commissioner of pensions which does not justify a higher pension deficiency than \$7,000,000, which, with the average deficiency in other matters—\$25,000,000—would make a total deficiency of \$32,000,000.
Another Average Attacked.
The average of miscellaneous appropriations arrived at by the majority is also attacked. The minority says that the fact should not be overlooked that the majority during the past two or three years a new policy has been inaugurated and bills for public buildings, light houses, etc., no

Some Visitors at the White House.
Representatives Springer, McCreary, Fellows and Brookshire and Governor Isaac Puryear of Indiana, were among those who came. Governor Gray appeared during the cabinet meeting and failed to see Cleveland. John Wamamaker came to pay his respects and to bid an official good-bye to the president. J. W. Finch, of Glens Falls, N. Y., who helped along the Cleveland campaign fund by large contributions also was present. Richard Watson Gilder, editor of The Century, was in and out of the private party of the White House a dozen times during the day.
Remembered Their Uncle Jerry.
WASHINGTON, March 8.—Last evening the officials and employees of the agricultural department met at the residence of their late chief, ex-Secretary Rusk, and through Assistant Secretary Willets presented him a handsome silver service of five pieces, with salver and lamp. On the salver was engraved a representation of the department building and underneath the inscription: "Presented to Hon. J. M. Rusk, secretary of agriculture, 1889-1893, by his late associates in the United States department of agriculture." Washington, D. C., March 7, 1893. Each piece bore the monogram "J. M. R." The affair was a complete surprise to the ex-secretary.
Money Saved by Buying Bonds.
WASHINGTON, March 8.—A statement prepared in the division of loans and currency, treasury department, shows that in Cleveland's first administration the department redeemed bonds of the par value of \$38,074,830, for which it paid \$30,120,642.05. If the bonds had run to maturity the holders would have received principal and interest, \$39,067,180.43, making the saving to the government by the purchase \$8,946,538.38. The par value of \$39,067,180.43, March 1, 1889, is \$39,067,180.43. The department paid them \$30,120,642.05. Had they run to maturity they would have cost the government \$39,067,180.43, making the saving in the transaction \$8,946,538.38.

Free Gold Down to \$1,250,000.
WASHINGTON, March 8.—Secretary Carlisle when he assumed charge of the treasury department yesterday had on hand \$1,250,000 in free gold and a net balance of \$2,500,000, of which \$1,250,000 is in national bank deposits and \$1,250,000 in subsidiary coin and \$500,000 in minor coins.
Dempsy Will Still Hold Office.
PITTSBURGH, March 8.—Although Hugh Dempsy, master workman of District Assembly No. 3, Knights of Labor, has been sentenced to seven years to the western penitentiary in connection with the Homestead poisoning cases, the fact of the association has not swayed from him in the least. If all efforts fail, and he is compelled to undergo the sentence of the court, he will still remain master workman of the Knights of Labor for the term which he was elected.
Laugh at a Strike Story.
PITTSBURGH, March 8.—A long story appeared in a morning paper yesterday to the effect that the country is just on the verge of one of the most far-reaching strikes in the history of railroads, growing out of rejected demands of the Chicago switchmen. The story, however, is laughed at by both officials and employees.

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TELEGRAPH POLES

May Be Made a Gold Mine for
Cities.

MATTER DECIDED AT WASHINGTON.

The Supreme Court Gives Judgment
Against the Western Union in a St.
Louis Case That Judge Dillon Says Will
Cost the Company \$200,000,000 a Year—
Ordinances Charging Rental for Each
Pole Declared Valid—Trouble Ahead
for the Companies.

St. Louis, March 8.—The decision of the
United States supreme court at Wash-
ington Monday that the city of St. Louis was
entitled to collect an annual rental of \$5
each for telegraph poles in the city streets
is most far-reaching and important. It set-
tles for all time the proposition that the
city has a right to do as it pleases with its
streets and say what shall and what shall
not be placed upon them. The propo-
sition applies not to St. Louis alone, but
to every city in the United States.

Judge Dillon Makes Big Figures.
According to the statement of Judge Dil-
lon, who appeared as counsel for the West-
ern Union in the matter, it means an out-
lay of \$200,000,000 per annum by the West-
ern Union Telegraph company in the United
States. This statement is without doubt
an exaggeration, but as the very ques-
tion settled in the St. Louis suit is pend-
ing with regard to other cities, the cost
to the Western Union company will be
well up in the millions. The decision will
give to St. Louis \$74,895.50 from the
Western Union alone, and will save to the
city the large rental now being collected
from the Postal Telegraph company.

History of the Case.
Mr. C. J. Rosbrook, who conducted
the suit for the city, yesterday gave
a history of the case. A city ordinance
which went into effect July 11, 1884, pro-
vided that telegraph companies doing busi-
ness in St. Louis should pay \$5 per annum
for each pole erected in the streets. The
Western Union company has 1,506 such
poles, on which the tax amounted to \$7,530
per year. On April 7, 1888, a suit was
begun in the United States circuit court
by the city of St. Louis against the West-
ern Union Telegraph company to collect
\$2,635 for the rental for three years.

Will All Pass Ordinances Now.
On June 19, 1888, the circuit court decided
against the city on the ground that the
ordinance was void as in violation of the
interstate commerce act. The case was
then appealed to the United States su-
preme court and was argued last Decem-
ber. The decision of Monday was the final
disposition of the case. Philadelphia now
has and all cities probably will have an
ordinance similar to the one in force here.

ENGINEERS ORDERED OUT.
The Toledo, Ann Arbor and Northern
Michigan Men Strike.

Toledo, March 8.—Chief Arthur last
night ordered the engineers on the Toledo,
Ann Arbor and Northern Michigan railway
to strike this morning, and fifty engineers
will obey the order. Chief Sargent, of the
firmen, has been acting with Arthur in
the matter, and the firmen will strike,
refusing to work with non-union engineers.
The trouble has a first rate chance to
spread, as employees on other lines may re-
fuse to handle "non-union" freight.

Boycotting Studebaker's Wagons.
Chicago, March 8.—M. H. Madden, pres-
ident of the Illinois State Federation of
Labor, has sent word to the Farmers' Al-
liance asking the members not to purchase
any wagons or carriages made by Stude-
baker Bros. on account of the strike which
the wagonmakers inaugurated a week ago.
P. E. Studebaker has written a letter to
the men saying that he does not wonder
they strike, nor antagonize their right to
do so. Politicians, agitators and philan-
thropists tell them they are not getting
their share, and they believe it; but the
firm has to compete with the world and
cannot pay ten hours' wages for nine
hours' work unless it is made universal.

No Action Yet at Chicago.
Chicago, March 8.—The railway manag-
ers did not meet yesterday to consider
the demands of the switchmen. They will
meet today. Grand Master Wilson, of the
Switchmen's Mutual Aid association, re-
turned from the west yesterday morning.
He is here to take charge of the affairs of
the switchmen's union. Mr. Wilson would
say nothing about the matter in hand.

Anxiety at Pittsburg.
Pittsburg, March 8.—There is the best
ground for believing that the railroad
officials here are exceedingly anxious in
respect to the apprehended switchmen's
strike on the Pennsylvania and other sys-
tems leading into Chicago.

The Daily-Gibbons Scrap.
NEW ORLEANS, March 8.—Austin Gib-
bons last night defeated Mike Daly in the
thirty-first round before an enthusiastic
crowd, including many friends of both
men. It is the opinion of all that Daly
made a good showing, though vanquished.
He was tough as a hickory knot and pun-
ishment did not seem to hurt him. But
he was overmatched from the start and
Gibbons' only danger was over-confidence.
Nearly every round was in Gibbons' favor.
During the last few rounds Daly did his
best to provoke Gibbons to fury, but failed
and received a clean knock-out in the
thirty-first.

Our Second Ocean Greyhound.
NEW YORK, March 8.—At noon yesterday
the American flag was hoisted from the
flagstaff of the American line steamship
Paris, and at that moment the big ocean
greyhound was declared an American ves-
sel, privileged to carry the flag of the
United States into any foreign port. The
steamship was formerly the City of Paris,
but hereafter she will be known simply as
the Paris. The ceremonies of yesterday
were not so elaborate as those performed
on board the New York, but they had the
same significance.

They Still Have a Monopoly.
NEW YORK, March 8.—The patent ob-
tained by Alexander Graham Bell on March
7, 1876, covering the only practical method
of telephony which has been invented,
ended yesterday. This will not break the
monopoly, as the Bell company has other
necessary patents that will not end for
years.

Pardoned by Governor Altgeld.
SPRINGFIELD, March 7.—Governor Alt-
geld yesterday pardoned George Kline and
Henry A. Heath, of Whiteside county, out-
lets of the penitentiary, and Andrew Mc-
Laughlin, of La Salle, out of the reform
school. All are boys.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.
Catillo Coumo, Savanna's only repre-
sentative of the Mafia, carried his bulid-
ing schools, so far that he was killed by a
compatriot in self-defense.

The Idaho legislature has adjourned sine
die. The apportionment bill, providing for
representation in the house for the Mor-
mon population of the southeastern coun-
ties failed to pass. The bill enfranchising
the Mormons passed and has been signed
by the governor.

The treasury department has made it
necessary for the Chinese entering the
United States by Canada or Mexico to
prove their right, no passports or other pa-
pers being accepted as prima facie evi-
dence of such right.

John Farrell, in jail at Louisville, Tenn.,
charged with the murder of "Tom" Woods,
has made a complete confession.

Later returns from the elections in
Spain are less favorable to the Republi-
cans, who suffered unexpected losses in
the provinces. The government majority
in congress, it is estimated, will be about
100.

Obituary: At Saginaw, Mich., Mrs.
Frederick Hubert, the well-known philan-
thropist, at Warren, Pa., Judge Horton,
the wealthy tanner, aged 45. At Colum-
bus, O., Robert W. Stevenson, ex-superin-
tendent of public instruction, aged 60.
At London, Hugh Nelson, ex-governor of
British Columbia.

Over 300 families were rendered homeless
by Friday's cyclone at Mississippi. The
death list foots up twenty-nine victims.
The MacMurry-Judge Architectural Iron
company, at St. Louis, has failed, with li-
abilities of \$140,000.

Reports from the Michigan peach belt
say that the yield this season will be the
largest for a number of years.

An earthquake at Portland, Or., wrecked
a large stone warehouse.

The government of Brazil has seized six
cars of arms destined for the revolution-
ists who are besieging Santa Anna.

Orville Overholt, a grain dealer at As-
sumption, Ill., assigned for the benefit of
creditors. Liabilities, \$27,000; assets, \$37,
000.

President Cleveland has been asked by
the Baltimore conference of the Methodist
Episcopal church to interfere in behalf of
the Rev. J. H. Nelson, who is imprisoned
in Brazil for writing an article relating to
the worship of Mary.

First Vice President Joseph W. Rein-
hart, of the Archbishop, Tupper and
Fe railway, has been elected to the presi-
dency of the company, to succeed Allen
Manvel, deceased.

A county in Wisconsin has been named
Villa, after the senior senator from that
state.

Senator Cockrell, of Missouri, has a
brother in the lower house of the new con-
gress, representing a Texas district.

The Liberals Lose a Seat.
LONDON, March 8.—The election held
Monday at Grimsby to fill the seat in
parliament made vacant by the resignation
of Mr. H. J. Liberal, resulted in a
victory for the Unionists and the loss of a
seat for the Liberals. Honorable Liberal
Unionist, was elected by 4,427 votes to 3,
463 votes for Broadhurst, Liberal. At the
last election the Liberals had 636 majority.

McClellan's Daughter Married.
PAID, March 8.—The religious mar-
riage ceremony uniting Miss Mary Mc-
Clellan, daughter of the late General
George B. McClellan with Paul Desprez,
attache of the French legation at Wash-
ington, took place at 11 a. m. yesterday at
the Nunciature, in the Rue de Grenelle.
The nuptial nuptials officiated.

The Weather We May Expect.
WASHINGTON, March 8.—The following are
the weather indications for twenty-four hours
from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. today: For the
Illinois—Threatening weather and rain; south-
erly winds, shifting to westerly during to-
night; slightly colder tonight. For Iowa—
Threatening weather and rain; southerly
winds, shifting to westerly. For Michigan—
Fair weather, followed by rain or snow this
evening; variable winds. For Wisconsin—
Rain or snow during the afternoon or even-
ing; easterly to southerly winds.

LIVE STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS.
Chicago, March 7.

Following were the quotations on the board
of trade today: Wheat—March, opened
75c, closed 75c; May, opened 75c, closed
75c; July, opened 75c, closed 75c. Corn
—March, opened 43c, closed 43c; May,
opened 43c, closed 43c; July, opened 43c,
closed 43c. Oats—March, opened 32c,
closed 32c; May, opened 32c, closed 32c;
July, opened 32c, closed 32c. Pork—
March, opened \$17.35, closed \$17.35; May,
opened \$17.35, closed \$17.35; July, opened
\$17.35, closed \$17.35. Lard—March, opened
\$12.75, closed \$12.75.

**Cattle—Receipts for the day 5,500; quality
fair; market active on local and shipping ac-
count; quotations ranged as follows: Choice
steers, \$14.00 to \$14.50; good steers, \$13.50 to
\$14.00; common to medium do., \$13.00 to
\$13.50; butchers' steers, \$12.50 to \$13.00;
cows, \$12.00 to \$12.50; feeders, \$11.00 to
\$11.50; calves, \$10.00 to \$11.00; bulls, \$9.00
to \$10.00; veal calves, \$8.00 to \$9.00.**

**Sheep—Receipts for the day 10,000; quality
fair; market rather active and prices un-
changed; quotations ranged as follows: Choice
wethers, \$14.00 to \$14.50; good wethers, \$13.50
to \$14.00; common to medium do., \$13.00 to
\$13.50; butchers' wethers, \$12.50 to \$13.00;
cows, \$12.00 to \$12.50; feeders, \$11.00 to
\$11.50; calves, \$10.00 to \$11.00; bulls, \$9.00
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**Produce—Receipts for the day 5,500; quality
fair; market active on local and shipping ac-
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steers, \$14.00 to \$14.50; good steers, \$13.50 to
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cows, \$12.00 to \$12.50; feeders, \$11.00 to
\$11.50; calves, \$10.00 to \$11.00; bulls, \$9.00
to \$10.00; veal calves, \$8.00 to \$9.00.**

**Wheat—No. 2 red cash 75c lower on
receipts on passage and weak week; local
trading and weathering dull and steady; May,
\$1.00; July, \$1.00; Nov., \$1.00; Dec., \$1.00;
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WEATHER REPORT For the week, commencing March 5, 1908.

	T. A. M.	3 P. M.	6 P. M.	Max.	Min.	Wind
Sun.	53	57	50	59	40	S.
Mon.	51	57	55	61	40	S.
Tues.	56	66	61	66	45	S.
Wed.	50	60				S.
Thurs.						S.
Fri.						S.
Sat.						S.

A. O. CLARK, Observer.

R. R. TIME TABLE.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN R. R.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

No.	Train	Time
No. 1	Overland Limited	1:30 a. m.
No. 7	Pacific Express	2:30 a. m.
No. 11	Clinton Passenger	12:15 p. m.
No. 3	Overland Limited	2:30 p. m.
No. 9	Overland Limited	7:15 p. m.
No. 15	Overland Limited	8:45 p. m.
No. 16	Overland Limited	9:15 p. m.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

No.	Train	Time
No. 4	Atlantic Express	5:35 a. m.
No. 2	Overland Limited	5:55 a. m.
No. 6	Overland Limited	6:55 a. m.
No. 10	Overland Limited	7:15 a. m.
No. 12	Overland Limited	7:35 a. m.
No. 14	Overland Limited	7:55 a. m.
No. 18	Overland Limited	8:15 a. m.
No. 19	Overland Limited	8:35 a. m.
No. 20	Overland Limited	8:55 a. m.

Gov. Altgeld seems to grow no less optimistic in his manner and methods than when for brief session he sat on the bench in the Circuit Court in this city and insulted the members of the Lee County bar.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

GOING SOUTH.

Train	Time
Passenger	11:11 a. m.
Freight	3:30 a. m.
Freight	6:30 a. m.
Freight	9:30 a. m.

GOING NORTH.

Train	Time
Passenger	5:55 a. m.
Freight	3:30 a. m.
Freight	6:30 a. m.
Freight	9:30 a. m.

* Daily except Sunday. * Daily except Monday.

W. G. HARTSHORN, Ticket Agent.

The trains at the North Dixon depot are five minutes later going north and at time earlier going south.

C. G. ALBRIGHT, Agent.

STERN BRO'S, OPERA HOUSE

New Spring Jackets and Capes

Our first shipment of about 50 new spring jackets and capes have arrived; we can say without exaggeration that they are the handsomest line of spring garments you will see in Dixon this season, and at prices to suit the closest buyer.

New Dress Trimmings!

The newest things in Dress Trimming, headed, corded and tinsel effects; also the new "Bouffant" trimmings, now being worn so much in New York and other large cities; also buckles and clasps in great variety.

New Spring Dress Goods!

We invite your most critical inspection of our magnificent stock of New Spring Dress Goods. To buy here, as a rule, you will get satisfaction; you can find here exactly what you want in color, quality, style and shade, and at lowest possible prices.

New Spring Carpets!

Ingrain Carpets at 30c, 35c, 45c, 50c, 60c, 65c, 70c and 75c; Brussels Carpets at 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

George Cromwell, still at the Hennepin avenue feed shed, has a large stock of Timothy, and tame hay and oat straw in ball; also corn, oats, shorts, oil cake, corn meal and a fine brand of flour. These things he is selling at greatly reduced prices.

Cheap Rates To The Inauguration.

For the inauguration of Cleveland and Stevenson at Washington on March 4th, excursion tickets, reading via Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, "The Picturesque Route," will be placed on sale at the ticket offices of principal railroads of the west, as well as at the ticket offices of the Baltimore and Ohio Company. The fare from Chicago will be \$17.50 for the round trip. These tickets will be sold from February 25th to March 3rd inclusive, and will be valid for return journey until March 8th inclusive.

The Baltimore and Ohio is the shortest route to Washington from nearly all points west. Its trains are vestibuled from end to end, and carry Pullman sleeping cars. No railroad in America is better equipped than the B. & O. to transport with dispatch, safety and comfort the large crowd that will visit Washington to witness the inauguration ceremonies. Its long experience in transporting crowds to former inaugurations, G. A. R. encampments, Knight Templar Conclaves, and similar gatherings, on an extensive scale, will prove most valuable in arranging for the coming inauguration.

For more detailed information as to rates, time of trains, etc., apply to L. S. Allen, Asst. Gen'l Passenger Agent, The Rockery, Chicago, or O. P. McCarthy, Asst. Gen'l Passenger Agent, Cincinnati, O. 12471 e-o-d

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40 Years the Standard.

The Columbian Club. The Columbian Club met yesterday, and after transacting considerable business and listening to a very interesting paper, by Mrs. K. Kennedy, adjourned sine die. This does not imply the dissolving of the club by any means, as it is subject to the call of the president whenever occasion may arise. The various committees will also complete the work in their charge so that it will be some time before the Columbian Club, as an organization, will rest from its labors.

During the year the club has followed an extended course of study, and many most excellent papers have been presented; not a few of which were fully equal in merit to those which may be read in the popular annals of World's Fair literature. The ladies have also kept in touch and correspondence with the rest of the county, and with state officials, thus endeavoring to carry out the wishes and plans of the Board of Lady Managers.

The book material for which has been collected by the club, was duly christened yesterday, as "Recollections of the Pioneers of Lee County." Although the book may not equal in size or elegance its predecessors in county history, it will, be beyond doubt, a delight and a treasure to those to whom it is dedicated—"The children of the Pioneers of Lee County."—and we do not feel that we shall have cause to blush for the work the Lee County Columbian Club has done in its short life of one year.

At the close of the meeting a most hearty vote of thanks was offered to the newspapers of the county for the cordial support, and the free use of their columns, which they have always accorded to the club.

Mr. Dewey Must Go.

Gov. Altgeld seems to grow no less optimistic in his manner and methods than when for brief session he sat on the bench in the Circuit Court in this city and insulted the members of the Lee County bar. It is evidently his intention to make a complete change in the management of every state institution; years of experience and peculiar fitness for the positions on the part of the present occupants seem to have no weight in his determination. At least that is true of the trustees of the hospital for the insane at Kankakee. It transpires that the new trustees met at the hospital yesterday and went over the business with Dr. Dewey, the efficient and successful medical superintendent. Afterward they repaired to Springfield where they reported to the Governor what they had seen and done. Governor Altgeld asked them what they had decided to do regarding a successor to Dr. Dewey. They replied that it seemed to them that the best thing for the State was to continue him in the office he had so creditably and intelligently filled for so many years. They were amazed when the Governor pointedly remarked that that would not do at all, and that a successor to Dr. Dewey would have to be found at once. The trustees had no one in mind and frankly admitted as much. Governor Altgeld then said that they must send at once to Chicago and offer the appointment to Dr. Cleveland, who would be entirely satisfactory to the Governor. The change being thus demanded by the Governor the trustees had no option but to make it, else hand in their resignations.

It seems to us that if anything, aside from the judiciary, should be divorced from partisan politics, it is those state institutions where the mental and physical health of inmates are dependent on skill and experience and not on the political affiliations of the superintendent. In this it seems that even the Governor's partisan appointed board of trustees of the Kankakee asylum agrees. But the Governor thinks differently; so with his usual exhibition of arbitrary power takes the matter entirely out of their hands.

No Longer Non-Sectarian.

When Governor Altgeld demanded the resignation of the state board of trustees of the Joliet penitentiary, as a necessary preliminary to his contemplated radical reformatory changes in that institution, he declined to give a hint as to the nature of his plans. They are beginning to make themselves manifest, however.

When THE TELEGRAPH opposed the closing of the World's Fair gates on Sunday, by the hand of the National Government, so to speak, it did so on the ground that this government in recognizing and enforcing the purely religious opinions of a portion of the people, was not only overstepping its prerogative, but establishing a dangerous precedent, introducing the fine point of a wedge that might ere long disrupt the government or change its entire policy; uniting that which its founders had wisely designed to keep eternally separated—all matters of church and state. We are aware that a government acknowledgment of Christianity is not Statecraft; but it leads to it; and when we made the assertion, we scarcely supposed that the proof would be furnished so soon, and by the governor of our own state.

Hitherto the religious service in the chapel of the Joliet penitentiary has been entirely non-sectarian; and each Sabbath teachers from the various denominational Sunday Schools of that city have united in teaching the inmates the lessons in use by all denominations. This, however, is to be from this time changed. A dispatch in yesterday's Chicago papers dated on Monday says:

"By order of the new chaplain, the Rev. Mr. Stephan, who preached his initial sermon at the penitentiary yesterday, the religious instruction given the convicts ceases to be non-sectarian and becomes Lutheran and Catholic. The chaplain informed the Sunday-school teachers that their services would terminate with the present Sunday's work, and that 'in accordance with the wishes of the professor of the Springfield Lutheran Seminary students will be sent up every Sunday from Springfield to teach the catechism.' This announcement was like a bomb-shell among the class and teachers. The teachers have taught six years gratis and are from every church in the city. They have not taught a catechism but have used the international Sunday-school lessons. The prisoners in the classes numbered 300. As it is now, the Lutheran and the Catholic churches have the entire charge of the spiritual welfare of the prisoners, and teach not Sunday-school lessons but catholicism. Joliet is considerably aroused at the affair and so are the prisoners."

Minstrel rehearsal tomorrow night.

Look out for the parade at noon Friday.

—Miss Carrie Frenzel is very ill with quinsy.

Look out for the Minstrels next Friday night.

—Ex-Mayor Steel went to Chicago this morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Halstead went to Ash-ton today on business.

Music out of sight at the Minstrels Friday night.

—Rehearsal of "Bells of Corneville" tonight at Mrs. H. T. Noble's.

—Fire was kindled yesterday under the boilers at the new electric light plant.

—J. A. Norton, of Chicago, is here on a visit with his nephew, Joseph H. Wad-elton.

—Master Gaffie Self, of Franklin Grove, made a pleasant call on Miss Zoelleite Halstead Sunday afternoon.

—Miss Dixon, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Edward Walgren, has returned to her home in Hampshire.

—Mrs. Merrill, formerly of the Kingdom and an old settler there, is visiting in Dixon with her granddaughter, Mrs. Rolf on Dixon avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jo Reitz, about three miles east of town, are entertaining a young lady visitor who called this morning and whom it is hoped has come to stay.

—Mr. Thorp, in looking over his store building, recently vacated by Mr. Walters, forgot his dog and locked him in, but the cur leaped through one of the front windows.

—A meeting of the Citizens' Association will be held this evening at the city council rooms for the purpose of reorganization and transacting other business of importance.

—John Nagle has purchased from Michael J. McGowan his residence in block 59 West Dixon; price \$1,225. The sale was made through the agency of Messrs. Warner & Julian.

Dancing, singing and specialties to please all, Friday night.

—Among the gentlemen drawn to our city by Dixon's renowned as a horse centre is J. H. McDonald of East Saginaw who is here looking over young horses with Delmarch blood in their veins.

PROBATE COURT.

Estate of William Landau, deceased, appraisal bill and inventory approved. Petition for sale of personal property granted.

Inventory approved in estate of Lars Olson, deceased.

Estate of William Johnson, inventory approved.

Estate of G. W. Ingraham, appraisal bill and inventory approved.

Alice L. Salsbery, deceased, M. D. Clapp appointed guardian of Lucy Salsbery, a minor.

Estate of Jesse Fender, deceased, settled.

Guardian in estate of John Yates, deceased, discharged.

Certificate of good moral character issued to Geo. W. Hansau.

Jennie M. Shaffer, appointed administratrix of the estate of John D. Shaffer. Appraisal issued.

Wm. Ross appointed administrator of the estate of Nicholas Killman.

Estate of Patrick Lyons, deceased for sale of real estate.

Charles Kron, naturalized.

Real Estate Transfers.

D. H. Newcomer to Katherine M. Reinhardt, wd, 3 in 1, Ashton—\$255.

F. D. Chapp Est, to W. Hark, M. D., pt pt see 28-33-34 Bradford—\$925.

A. C. Warner to C. H. Sarwine, wd, pt 3, 3, b 75 Dixon—\$400.

J. W. Crawford to Fred and John Mallen, wd, pt 35 May—\$600.

Margaret A. Frank to D. Newcomer, wd, 1, b 17 Ashton—\$125.

H. S. L. Loveland & Stately, wd, pt b 114 Dixon—\$900.

Martha Malone to A. C. Warner pt 1, b 102 Dixon—\$500.

J. C. Ayres to J. W. Leland, wd, pt 1, b 12 Dements add—\$450.

Heirs of Hannah A. Davis to J. W. Leland, wd, pt 1, b 12 Dements add—\$400.

A. K. Trudell to E. Long, wd, pt b 1 and pt 35 Harmon—\$900.

Y. A. Foulk to F. D. Zorn, Jr., wd, pt see 33 Brooklyn—\$500.

C. C. Krug to Catharina Krug, wd, pt see 22 Bradford—\$600.

C. Gleim to Mary Kersten, wd, pt 6 Bradford—\$200.

L. C. Tuttle to C. J. Menier, wd, pt see 30 Nelson and pt see 31 S. Dixon—\$500.

A. C. Bardwell to F. C. Ticknor, wd, 1, b 3 West End—\$300.

W. Hark to A. G. Hyde, wd, 1, b 24 Dixon—\$100.

A. Bradshaw to Village of Compton, wd, pt 4, b 3 Compton—\$20.

J. Vance to C. Gleim, wd, pt see 28 Ashton—\$500.

Amelia M. Vance to C. Gleim, wd, pt see 28 Ashton—\$200.

L. N. Wisman to C. C. Krug, wd, pt b 10 Ash-ton—\$1100.

W. P. Blackston to Viola B. Pipfler, qd, 1, b 20 W. Dixon—\$300.

H. D. Phillips to S. E. Johnson, qd, pt see 28 Viola—\$100.

S. G. Cook to M. L. Ransom, wd, pt see 14 Nelson—\$600.

B. H. Perkins to Martha E. Perkins, wd, pt 13 b 14 Wyman's add Ambury—\$300.

G. Ryon to D. Downey, wd, pt see 29 E Grove—\$320.

A. S. Ferguson to A. J. Hollenbeck, wd, pt see 29 Nelson—\$300.

Abner Cogswell, Est, to A. J. Hollenbeck, E. D. pt see 29 Nelson—\$600.

A. F. Bradley to F. D. Bryant, wd, pt see 23 Wyoming—\$100.

Catherine M. Reinhardt to J. Nass, wd, pt see 19 Bradford—\$515.90.

J. Gibson to O. L. Cornell, wd, pt see O'Gee Wyoming and pt 115 La Clair Wyoming—\$500.

A. H. Myers to O. Arnold, wd, pt see 4-5 Harmon—\$500.

D. Reicher to J. C. Wilson, wd, pt see 1 Lee Centre—\$450.

Est. John Dement to C. Spiller, wd, pt 4, b 4, b 4 Dements 2d add—\$175.

S. G. Gilbert to H. Darnall, wd, pt see 6 Viola—\$500.

Mrs. D. C. Chase to F. H. Schenckhorn, wd, 1, b 15, 17 b 15 Wyman's add Ambury—\$1500.

A. C. Warner to May and Sarah Rice, wd, 1, b 14 Riverview—\$300.

B. F. Woodford to E. L. and J. R. Titus, wd, pt see 27-34 Harmon—\$600.

Margarette Betz, et al to G. Pope, qd, wd, pt see 29 Wyoming—\$1000.

—The man who was going to pay wood on his subscription should bring it around at once.—Polo Press.

It has been a little cold to be out of wood.

Marriage Licenses.

NAME	RES.	AGE
William Reah	Palmyra	26
Anna Kenery	"	26
James Bollman	South Dixon	37
Jemima Young	Nelson	28

From Amboy.

Mrs. Oliver McMaster died Monday aged about 70 years. Benj. Fessler has been confined to the house about three weeks with inflammatory rheumatism.

Warren Badger has been in Chicago the past two weeks, taking care of his son, Harry, who is ill with the typhoid fever. John Stevens, of Chicago, is the new boss in the boiler department of the Central shops.

Dan Levy, of Walnut, was here Monday to attend the funeral of his nephew, Geo. Keefler.

Oren Lewis starts in a few days for Chase Co., Nebraska, where he has lately purchased land.

Alex Skinner, of Inlet, has gone to Scott Co., Kansas, and if the county suits him he will buy a farm there.

Serenus Sawyer, who has lived near Lee Centre the past 58 years, has sold his farm and will move soon to north-western Iowa, where his children live.

Eight thousand bushels of corn were sold at an administrator's sale at the farm of the late George Rapp in Sublette township. The corn averaged about forty cents a bushel. The Kreiser Bros. bid off one bin containing about 2 thousand bushels.

Jacob Conderman, who has nearly reached his 89th birthday, is probably the oldest Odd Fellow in Lee County. He joined the order in Steuben Co., N. Y., in 1849. The next year he came to Illinois and settled on the farm in Marion township where he now resides. Mr. Conderman united with the lodge in Dixon soon after he came here, and many a time, after doing a hard day's work he has walked to Dixon, a distance of ten miles, to attend a meeting of the order, and walked home the same night. Probably some of the older Odd Fellows of Dixon remember Mr. Conderman.

Charles Kelly, of Sublette, sold seventeen hundred dollars worth of hogs a few days ago.

Mrs. Betsy Doan, a few days ago, was putting a comfortable on the frames to tie, when a spark from the stove set fire to the cotton. The family succeeded in putting out the flames; but Mrs. Doan lost her quilt, some window curtains, and there was a large hole burned in the floor.

Henry E. Badger, who has been on our streets almost daily for the past forty years, has not been out much lately, owing to poor health. In the years gone by he was quite extensively engaged in business and was well known throughout the country. When he first came here he was engaged in manufacturing plows, and afterwards owner of what was known as Badger's grist mill. He has always been a staunch Republican and every good cause has had his support.

George Morey, of Lee Center township, will move to Dixon soon.

When wounded, why weep? (Winnie). Time's true teacher tells us that experience elevates energy and with wisdom will win (always). We cannot stop the great crowds of people from the North, South, East and West to buy their wall paper of us, unless we lock our doors; but this being our banner year we will have all entrances open to one and all. Common sense people appreciate and patronize a store that is run on strictly business principles; (we do not have fifty different prices on the same goods). Our business is booming. Fluid Extract of Dandelion is a sure cure for biliousness and spring fever. Tillson & Hayden, the leaders in fine wall paper.

Coughing leads to consumption

Kemp's Balsam stops the cough at once

"Orange Blossom" makes handsome children, because it makes mothers strong and well, sold by D. S. Horton.

3—Home-Seeker's Excursions—3

Are announced by the Mobile & Ohio Railroad for points in Mississippi and Alabama, the garden spot of the world, thousands of acres of choice farming land can be had at extremely low prices. Trains will leave St. Louis Union depot at 8:35 p. m. on March 14th, April 11th and May 9th, 1908.

CHEAPEST OF CHEAP RATES.

Ask your nearest railroad ticket, of F. W. Greene, General Agent, 108 N. Broadway, St. Louis, Mo., or E. E. Posey, Acting General Passenger Agent, Mobile, Ala., for general descriptive of the country and particulars regarding the excursions. "Go South young man." 29a 16tf

Soft coal that burns as clear as wood is none, end, and Pitcher sell it. dw

A pair of pants made to your own order for \$4.40. See the big line at The Plymouth.

Lane's Medicine moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary.

Smoke Silver King cigar, 10 cent value for 5 cents at Duffins. 29tmo

Artistic Wall Paper.

Our second invoice (now in transit from the Factory, Brooklyn N. Y.) of wall paper and borders with ceilings to match, actually figure up 5388 rolls or 43864 yds. it will pay you to wait for the latest spring styles. Competitors as usual, are trying to work off old stock at war prices. W. D. DUFFIN, Druggist, 156 Galena Ave., Dixon. 29t6

Mothers Recommend it.

The strongest recommendation that any article can have is the endorsement of the mothers of the town. When the mothers recommend it you may know that article has more than ordinary merit. Here is what the Centerville, South Dakota, Citizen says editorially of an article sold in their town: "From personal experience we can say that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has broken up bad colds for our children. We are acquainted with many mothers in Centerville who would not be without it in the house for a good many times its cost, and are recommending it every day." 50 cent bottles for sale by W. D. Duffin.

"Better Than Drugs."

S. W. Dursley, of New York, says: "I consider the water of Bethesda spring the best in the world for kidney and bladder troubles. Dr. Bliss and Johnson, of Washington, prescribed it for me and its effects were marvelous. It is worth more than all the drugs." For sale by druggists everywhere, in sealed half-gallon glass bottles.

WANTED.

BOARDERS, at 416 College Avenue. 29t6

Cards of "Rooms For Rent" for placing in windows, cheap at this office.

Pants made to order at The Plymouth for \$4.40. 200 styles to select from. 29tf

TO THE TAXPAYERS OF DIXON.

The time for paying Taxes to the Collector is fast passing away and you will very much oblige by paying as early as possible. Your favors will be appreciated. 63tf F. A. SWITZER, Collector. Fargo & Pratt shoe store.

Cubeb Cough Cure—one minute

ATTENTION.

Having purchased an entire lot of the famous Wilson Bros. Neckwear at our own price we are enabled to offer the greatest bargains in this line for the next ten days. Remember this lot of Neckwear comprises over 250 styles, no two dozen alike. Regular value from 75c to \$1.25. All go now at 48 cents each. Examine our window display. Call early for choice at the City National Clothing House, No. 7 First street. 23tf

"Bethesda Water Saved My Life."

That's what Frank M. Bemis Supt. of the Grand Rapids School Furniture Co. has to say: "Am completely cured of chronic diarrhoea of two years standing, by using Bethesda water for seven weeks," writes Capt. James McDonald, of Galveston, Texas. "I am equal for disorders of the stomach, kidneys or bladder. All druggists sell it in sealed half-gallon glass bottles. BETHESDA MINERAL SPRING CO. Waukesha, Wis.

TAX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that at a tax sale held at Dixon, in Lee County, Illinois, on the 11th day of June, A. D. 1891, for taxes of the year A. D. 1890, W. C. Thompson purchased the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot 5 in Block in the village of Paw Paw, Lee County, Illinois, taxed in the name of John Harding, and that the time of redemption from said sale will expire on June 11th, A. D. 1891. 3118 W. C. THOMPSON.

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